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## **TOWN OFFICERS**

### **Moderator**

Lewis H. Tainter

### **Town Clerk**

Herbert A. Willard

### **Town Treasurer**

Herbert A. Willard

### **Selectmen**

Stanley P. Maynard

Term expires 1957

Henry E. Fish

Term expires 1958

Harold N. Kullgren

Term expires 1959

### **Tax Collector**

Ervin C. Rockwood

### **Road Agent**

Walter N. Russell

### **Auditors**

N. John Jessen

Malcolm L. Holt

Earl W. Young

### **Wood Surveyors**

Selectmen

### **Lumber Surveyors**

Selectmen

### **Fence Surveyors**

Selectmen

### Trustees of Trust Funds

St. John Morgan	Term expires 1957
Herbert A. Willard	Term expires 1958
Lyman W. Gale	Term expires 1959

### Trustees of Mansfield Public Library

Abbie Kendall	Term expires 1957
Maude Leighton	Term expires 1958
Carolyn Hill	Term expires 1959
Orlo J. Fiske	Term expires 1960
Priscilla Weston	Term expires 1961
Susie Cutter	Term expires 1962
Olga Tainter	Term expires 1963

### Supervisors of Check List

Howard Kullgren	Albert Quinn	Carroll Allen
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### Cemetery Trustees

Herbert Willard	Harold Kullgren	Ervin C. Rockwood
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### Fire Engineers

Henry E. Fish	Term expires 1957
William Benotti	Term expires 1958
Lewis Tainter	Term expires 1959

## TOWN WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Temple in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Temple on Tuesday, the 12th day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town Charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for the same.
3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of highways and bridges.
4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal.
5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for oiling roads.
6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Library.
7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day, said sum to be handled under the auspices of the Legion.
8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Temple Volunteer Fire Department, said sum to be turned over to the Treasurer of the Department.
9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Old Age Assistance.
10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$68.00 (1/100th of 1% of the valuation of the town) to the Monadnock Region Association of Southwestern New Hampshire for issuance and distribution of printed matter, newspaper and magazine advertising, and by other means calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the town, in cooperation with the other thirty-seven towns of the Monadnock Region.



11. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regard to painting the Town Hall, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

12. To hear the reports from the Committee on the 200th anniversary of the Town and take action thereto, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of Taxes not exceeding the sum of \$20,000.00.

14. To hear the report of the Zoning Committee and take any action relating thereto.

15. To see if the Town will grant the Congregation Church and Society of Temple, N. H., permission to dig up ditch following Town water-pipe starting opposite the parsonage and continuing as far as necessary to put water into the Chapel.

16. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a snow-plow blade for front of the grader and raise and appropriate money for the same.

17. To see if the Town wishes to take action regarding the disposal of the crawler tractor.

18. To hear report of Selectmen and take action relative to Richards Land as a Town Forest.

19. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regard to the games of Beano in said Town.

20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00, (balance to be raised by contributions) to erect a picket fence around the Memorial Tree.

21. To transact any further business which may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 18th day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

STANLEY P. MAYNARD

HENRY E. FISH

HAROLD N. KULLGREN

Selectmen of Temple

A true copy of Warrant—attest:

STANLEY P. MAYNARD

HENRY E. FISH

HAROLD N. KULLGREN

Selectmen of Temple



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# BUDGET

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## BUDGET

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year  
January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957

Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations  
and Expenditures of the Previous Year  
January 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1956	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1956	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1957
FROM STATE:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,080.09	\$ 3,800.00
Savings Bank Tax	85.60	90.19	90.19
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	1.15	.35	.35
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	1,800.00	1,441.57	1,441.57
1956 TRA Program	3,509.67	3,509.67	3,500.18
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:			
Dog Licenses	150.00	149.60	150.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees		1.50	
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	82.00	142.00	85.00
Income from Trust Funds		242.50	
Income of Departments:			
Grader & Lime Spreader		1,571.25	
Class V Highways		1,119.83	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2,000.00	2,404.82	2,200.00
Greenfield Fire Reimbursement		351.32	
Stove Parts		3.00	
Interest Rebate		1.83	
Trust Fund		100.00	
AMOUNT RAISED BY ISSUE OF BONDS OR NOTES:			
Short Term Note		4,000.00	
Cash Surplus	1,270.18		
FROM LOCAL SOURCES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:			
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	316.00		300.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES			\$11,567.29
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES			\$43,831.96
TOTAL REVENUES			\$55,399.25
Estimated tax rate on above budget \$63.70 per thousand			



PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1956	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1956	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1957
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:			
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,033.45	\$ 935.00	\$ 1,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	700.00	722.86	800.00
Election and Registration Expenses	450.00	407.25	75.00
Hall Furnace	100.00	61.25	
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	500.00	490.66	500.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:			
Police Department	50.00	20.00	50.00
Fire Department	1,000.00	1,000.00	500.00
Volunteer Forest Fire Department	100.00	358.29	100.00
Insurance	511.83	497.64	300.00
Scales	5.00		25.00
HEALTH:			
Vital Statistics	5.00	5.50	5.00
Town Dump	25.00	20.00	50.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:			
Oil	1,000.00	1,264.62	400.00
Town Maintenance—Summer	3,500.00	5,047.98	5,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	3,000.00	4,029.10	3,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	75.00	72.54	75.00
LIBRARY	580.00	580.00	706.00
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Old Age Assistance	1,800.00	1,677.66	2,200.00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	250.00	250.00	250.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:			
Municipally Owned Water Pump	200.00	338.36	250.00
Cemeteries	200.00	408.75	200.00
UNCLASSIFIED:			
Flag	40.00	26.20	40.00
Auto Tax Refund		36.57	
Advertising and Regional Associations	59.00	59.00	68.00
Maffee Trust Fund		100.00	
Taxes Bought by Town		54.34	
INTEREST:			
On Temporary Loans	54.44	62.67	62.67
On Long Term Notes and Bonds	300.28	310.92	175.63
Head Tax		950.00	
Yield Tax	70.00	49.42	
Temporary Loans		4,000.00	
Permit Fees		160.00	
INDEBTEDNESS:			
PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT:			
(b) Long Term Notes	5,701.50	5,701.50	5,250.00
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:			
County Taxes	3,011.13	2,908.61	2,908.61
School Taxes	28,206.88	27,636.12	32,408.34
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$52,528.51	\$60,242.81	\$56,399.25

## INVENTORY — 1956

Lands and Buildings	\$655,220.00	
Electric Plants (2)	24,000.00	
House Trailers	150.00	
Radio Tower	1,200.00	
Stock in Trade	4,700.00	
Horses (14)	395.00	
Cows (196)	16,090.00	
Neat Stock (22)	1,240.00	
Sheep and Goats (52)	520.00	
Fowls (3,858)	2,786.00	
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	1,000.00	
Portable Mills	500.00	
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Total Gross Valuation		\$707,801.00
Less Soldier's Exemption		19,600.00
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Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is Computed		\$688,201.00



## APPROPRIATIONS — 1956

Town Officer Salaries		\$ 1,033.45
Town Officer Expenses		700.00
Election and Registration Expenses		450.00
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance		500.00
Police Department		50.00
Fire Department		1,100.00
Dump		25.00
Vital Statistics		5.00
Roads — Summer		3,500.00
Winter		3,000.00
New Construction (Oil)		1,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Department		75.00
Insurance		511.83
Hall Furnace		100.00
Scales		5.00
Library		580.00
Old Age Assistance		1,800.00
Memorial Day		250.00
Water, Pump		200.00
Cemeteries		200.00
Flag		40.00
Monadnock Region		59.00
Payments on Debt — Principal	\$ 5,701.50	
Interest	354.72	6,056.22
County Tax		2,908.61
School Tax		28,206.88
Total Town and School Appropriations		\$ 52,355.99
Less Estimated Revenues and Credits:		
Interest & Dividends Tax	\$ 4,080.09	
Savings Bank Tax	85.60	
Reimbursement a/c State & Federal Land	1.15	
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	1,441.57	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2,200.00	
Dog Licenses	150.00	
Rent of Town Property & Equipment	82.00	
Cash Surplus	1,000.00	
Accelerated T.R.A. Program	3,509.67	
Total Revenues and Credits		\$ 12,550.08
		\$ 39,805.91
Plus Overlay		152.47
Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		\$ 39,958.38
Less 159 Poll Taxes		318.00
Amount to be raised by Property Taxes		\$ 39,640.38
Amount of Tax Rate — \$57.60 per \$1,000.00		

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1956

	Appropriation 1956	Reimbursements and Earnings	Expenditures 1956	Balance	Overdraft
Highways — Summer	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 1,619.83	\$ 5,047.98	\$ 71.85	\$ 1,029.10
Highways — Winter	3,000.00		4,029.10		264.62
Road Oil	1,000.00		1,264.62		
Volunteer Fire Department	1,000.00		1,000.00		
Trustee Trust Funds		100.00	100.00		
Auto Refund Tax		36.57	36.57		
Library	580.00		580.00		
Old Age Assistance	1,800.00		1,677.66	122.34	
Memorial Day	250.00		250.00		
Taxes bought by Town			54.34		
Head Taxes			950.50		
Yield Taxes		70.00	49.42	20.58	
Furnace	100.00		61.25	38.75	
Monadnock Region	59.00		59.00		
Temporary Loans		4,000.00	4,000.00		
Long Term Notes	5,701.50		5,701.50		
County Tax	2,908.61		2,908.61		
School	28,206.88		27,636.12	14,031.88	
Auto Permit Fees		160.00	160.00		



Town Charges (Total)	4,250.00				
Town Officers' Salaries	1,033.45	935.00	98.45		
Town Officers' Expenses	700.00	722.86		22.86	
Election and Registration	450.00	407.25	42.75		
Town Hall, Other Buildings	500.00	490.66	9.34		
Insurance	511.83	497.64	14.19		
Flag	40.00	26.20	13.80		
Police	50.00	20.00	30.00		
Forest Fire	100.00	358.29	93.03		
Vital Statistics	5.00	5.50		.50	
Water and Pump	200.00	338.36		138.36	
Dump	25.00	20.00	5.00		
General Expenses, Highway	75.00	72.54	2.46		
Cemeteries	200.00	408.75	33.75		
Interest—Long Term	300.28	310.92		10.64	
Interest—Short Term	54.44	62.67		8.23	
Scales	5.00		5.00		
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	\$52,355.99	\$60,243.31			

## BALANCE SHEET

### ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$ 14,814.24
Capital Reserve Funds:	
Forest Conservation Aid	630.12
Accounts Due to the Town from State:	
From Federal Government	
Withholding Tax	105.10
Unredeemed Taxes:	
Levy of 1956	54.34
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1956	73.06
Previous Years—Yield Taxes	380.64
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1956	20.00
State Head Taxes—Previous Years	8.00
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Total Assets	\$ 16,085.50
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	6,528.55

### GRAND TOTAL

\$ 22,614.05

Net Debt—Surplus, December 31, 1955	\$ 11,825.59
Net Debt—Surplus, December 31, 1956	6,528.55
Increase—Decrease of Debt, of Surplus	5,297.04

### LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Reserve a/c Future Yield Tax Loss	\$ 20.58
Due to State:	
Bond Retirement 2% Yield Tax	162.29
State Head Taxes—1956	
Uncollected \$20.00	
Collected—not remitted to	
State Treas. \$70.00	90.00
Due to Internal Revenue	59.30
Due to School Districts:	
Balance of Appropriation	14,031.88
Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Grader	4,000.00
T.R.A.	4,250.00
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Total Liabilities	\$ 22,614.05

### GRAND TOTAL

\$ 22,614.05

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

1. Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 15,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,000.00
2. Libraries, Lands and Buildings	10,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,000.00
3. Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	5,000.00
Equipment	3,000.00
4. Highway Department, Lands and Bldgs.	1,500.00
Equipment	10,000.00
5. Parks, Common and Playgrounds	1,000.00
6. Water Supply	2,000.00
7. Schools, Lands and Buildings	25,000.00
Equipment	2,000.00
8. All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds—	
Richards Land 90a	1,000.00
9. Dump 6a	300.00
10. Cemeteries	

## STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

Maturities	Grader	T.R.A. Road	Total Annual Maturities
	(Serial Notes)	(Serial Notes)	
	2% Original Amt. \$7,000.00	2¼% Original Amt. \$8,500.00	
1957	\$1,000.00	\$4,250.00	\$5,250.00
1958	1,000.00		1,000.00
1959	1,000.00		1,000.00
1960	1,000.00		1,000.00
Total	\$4,000.00	\$4,250.00	\$8,250.00





## REPORT OF SELECTMEN

### Summary of Payments

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 935.00
Town Officers' Expenses	722.86
Election and Registration	407.25
Auto Permit Fees	160.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings	1,014.50
Police	20.00
Forest Fires	358.29
Volunteer Fire Department	1,000.00
Trusts Funds	100.00
Vital Statistics	5.50
Pump and Water	338.36
Highways — Summer	5,047.98
Highways — Winter	4,029.10
Dump	20.00
Road Oil	1,264.62
Auto Tax Refund	36.57
General Expense of Highway	72.54
Library	580.00
Old Age Assistance	1,677.66
Memorial Day	250.00
Cemeteries	408.75
Taxes bought by Town	54.34
Interest	373.59
Yield Tax	49.42
Furnace	61.25
Monadnock Region	59.00
Temporary Loans	4,000.00
Long Term Notes	5,701.50
County Tax	2,908.61
School District	27,636.12
Head Taxes	950.50
Total	<hr/> \$ 60,243.31

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### Town Officers' Salaries

Stanley P. Maynard	\$ 225.00
Henry E. Fish	225.00
Harold N. Kullgren	210.00
Herbert A. Willard, Treasurer	100.00
Herbert A. Willard, Clerk	50.00
Ervin C. Rockwood, Tax Collector	125.00
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TOTAL	\$ 935.00

### Town Officers' Expenses

Braham Publishing Co.	\$ 5.75
Association of N. H. Assessors	3.00
Mervin E. Willard	30.85
C. Edward Bomassa, Probate Court	.50
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	17.52
Donat Corriveau, Registry of Deeds	11.52
H. D. Cheever, Bonds	56.00
Maxfield Press, Town Reports	300.00
Ida M. Horner, Tax Collector's dues	3.00
Charles R. Hardy, Town Clerk's dues	2.00
Malcolm Holt, Auditing	18.00
Cabinet Press, tax bills	9.77
Florence J. Carr, clerical work	40.00
Ervin C. Rockwood, Collector's expenses	12.00
Esther S. Church, typing	25.00
Harold Kullgren, expenses	18.20
Herbert A. Willard, expenses	105.00
Henry E. Fish, Clerical work and expenses	45.16
Stanley P. Maynard, expenses	15.52
Town Treasurer, check book	4.07
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TOTAL	\$ 722.86

### Election and Registration

Lewis Tainter, Moderator	\$ 60.00
Frank Cutter, Ballot Clerk	190.00
Howard Kullgren, Supervisor	32.00
Carroll L. Allen, Supervisor	27.00
Albert Quinn, Supervisor and typing	48.25
Herbert A. Willard, Clerk	50.00
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	\$ 407.25

### Auto Permit Fees

Herbert A. Willard	\$ 160.00
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### Town Hall and Other Buildings

Mervin E. Willard, bill	\$ 36.98
Greenville Electric Lighting Co.,	113.26
Harvey Call, labor	1.00
Draper Fuel Co., wood	54.00
Anne Clements, cleaning hall	10.00
Mary Hadley, cleaning hall	10.00
Admiral Equipment Co., dishes	43.90
Southwestern Transportation Co., freight	3.40
Malcolm Holt, mowing	7.00
Henry E. Fish, tuning pianos	21.00
Frank Cutter, labor	4.12
William Doonan, wood	60.00
Wilfred Weston, sawing wood	4.00
George Willard, janitor	122.00
Lawrence A. Clark, Co., Liability Ins.,	
Town Hall and Library	73.60
Orlo J. Fiske, Ins., Fire House	135.30
Orlo J. Fiske, Ins., Town Shed	18.14
Orlo J. Fiske, Ins., Town Hall	270.60
Edgar L. Leighton III, raising flag	26.20
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TOTAL	\$ 1,014.50

### Police

Joseph Silver	\$ 20.00
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### Forest Fire

Henry E. Fish, Payroll	\$	351.32	
Mervin E. Willard, supplies		6.97	
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TOTAL	\$		358.29

### Volunteer Fire Department

Lawrence A. Clark, Insurance	\$	62.80	
Mervin E. Willard, Treasurer		937.20	
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TOTAL	\$		1,000.00

### Trustee of Trust Funds

\$ 100.00

### Vital Statistics

Herbert A. Willard	\$	5.50
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### Water

Greenville Electric Lighting Co.	\$	34.81	
Orvel B. Pierce Co., pump repair		118.17	
Walter Russell, Payroll		177.06	
Gault Co., bill		8.32	
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TOTAL	\$		338.36

### Highways — Summer

Road Agent's Payroll	\$	4,725.22	
Lawrence E. Clark, Insurance		50.16	
O. J. Fiske, Insurance		12.00	
Petrometal Inc.		75.00	
Withholding Tax		185.60	
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TOTAL	\$		5,047.98



### Highways — Winter

Road Agent's Payroll	\$ 3,804.14
Lawrence E. Clark, Insurance	50.16
O. J. Fiske, Insurance	12.00
Withholding Tax	162.80
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TOTAL	\$ 4,029.10

### Dump

Walter Russell, Payroll	\$ 20.00
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### Oil

Road Agent's Payroll	\$ 1,264.62
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### Auto Tax Refund

Ross Bowen	\$ 36.57
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### General Expenses, Highway

Brown & Saltmarsh, Payroll pads	\$ 4.85
Mervin E. Willard, good roads day dinner	39.69
Miller Grange, good roads day dinner	10.00
Herbert E. Willard, truck, good roads day	18.00
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TOTAL	\$ 72.54

### Library

Priscilla Weston, Treasurer	\$ 580.00
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### Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire	\$ 1,677.66
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### Memorial Day

Albert A. Quinn, Treas. of American Legion	\$ 250.00
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### Cemeteries

Henry E. Fish, care	\$ 406.75
Malcolm Holt, mowing	2.00
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TOTAL	\$ 408.75

### Head Taxes

N. H. State Treasurer	1955	\$	139.00	
	1956		811.50	
TOTAL				\$ 950.50

### Interest

Wilton National Bank—Short Term	\$	62.67	
Long Term		310.92	
TOTAL			\$ 373.59

### Yield Tax Bond

Ervin C. Rockwood, Collector	\$	49.42
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### Furnace

Robert Fish, fan	\$	52.25	
S. Perry Maynard, labor		9.00	
TOTAL			\$ 61.25

### Monadnock Region

Monadnock Region Association	\$	59.00
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### Temporary Loans

Wilton National Bank	\$	4,000.00
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### Long Term Loans

Wilton National Bank	\$	5,701.50
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### County Tax

Treasurer, Hillsborough County	\$	2,908.61
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### School District

Herbert A. Willard, Treas.	1955 & 1956	\$	13,461.12	
	1956 & 1957		14,175.00	
TOTAL				\$ 60,243.31

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

### Automobile Account

#### RECEIPTS:

6	1955 motor vehicle permits issued from Jan. 1, 1956 to March 31, 1956	\$	35.94	
313	1956 motor vehicle permits issued from Jan. 1, 1956 to Dec. 31, 1956		2,368.88	
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	Total	\$	2,404.82	
	Cash to Town Treasurer	\$	2,404.82	

### Dog License Account

Licenses issued between Jan. 1, 1956  
and Dec. 31, 1956:

68	Males and spayed females	\$	136.50	
2	Females		10.00	
1	Female plus penalty		5.50	
1	Kennel License		12.00	
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		\$	164.00	

#### PAYMENTS:

	Clerk's Fees	\$	14.40	
	Cash to Town Treasurer		149.60	
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		\$	164.00	

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT A. WILLARD,

Town Clerk

# REPORT OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

## LEVY OF 1956

Dr.

### Taxes Committed to Collector

Property Taxes	\$ 39,640.38	
Poll Taxes	318.00	
Total Warrant		\$ 39,958.38
Yield Taxes		973.74
Added Poll Tax		2.00
Interest Collected		.38
Total Debits		\$ 40,934.50

Cr.

### Remittances to Treasurer

Property Taxes	\$ 39,567.32
Poll Taxes	306.00
Yield Taxes	593.10
Interest Collected	.38

### Abatements

Charles P. Dillaby, Poll tax, error	2.00
Louis Ellison, Poll tax, over age	2.00
Kay Wright, Poll tax, hardship	2.00

### Uncollected Taxes

George W. Putnam, Property Tax	73.06
George C. Ellis, Poll Tax	2.00
Margaret Ellis, Poll Tax	2.00
Emery M. Richmond, Poll Tax	2.00
Dolores Richmond, Poll Tax	2.00
Warren Quinn, Yield Tax	48.06
Roger Weston, Yield Tax	317.69
Lester W. Salisbury, Yield Tax	14.89
Total Credits	\$ 40,934.50

## LEVY OF 1955

### Dr.

Uncollected Taxes—As of Jan. 1, 1956		
Property Taxes	\$	58.86
Poll Taxes		10.00
Yield Taxes		101.22
Added Poll Tax		2.00
Interest Collected		6.38
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Total Debits	\$	178.46

### Cr.

#### Remittances to Treasurer

Property Taxes	\$	58.86
Poll Taxes		12.00
Yield Taxes		101.22
Interest Collected		6.38
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Total Credits	\$	178.46

## LEVY OF 1954

### Dr.

Yield Tax	\$	42.89
Interest Collected		2.94
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Total Debits	\$	45.83

### Cr.

#### Remittances to Treasurer

Yield Tax	\$	42.89
Interest Collected		2.94
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Total Credits	\$	45.83



## STATE HEAD TAX

### LEVY OF 1956

Dr.

#### Committed to Collector

Original Warrant	\$	995.00	
Added Taxes		15.00	
Penalties Collected		4.00	
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Total Debits			\$ 1,014.00

Cr.

#### Remittances to Treasurer

Head Taxes	\$	970.00
Penalties		4.00

#### Abatements

David H. Bigelow, left town	\$	5.00
Louis Ellison, over age		5.00
Richard Wright, hardship		5.00
Kay Wright, hardship		5.00

#### Uncollected

George C. Ellis	\$	5.00	
Margaret Ellis		5.00	
Emery M. Richmond		5.00	
Dolores Richmond		5.00	
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Total Credits			\$ 1,014.00

## LEVY OF 1955

### Dr.

Uncollected Head Taxes—		
As of Jan. 1, 1956	\$	25.00
Added Taxes	5.00	
Penalties Collected	3.00	
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Total Debits	\$	33.00

### Cr.

#### Remittances to Treasurer

Head Taxes	\$	30.00
Penalties Collected		3.00
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Total Credits	\$	33.00

## TAXES SOLD DURING FISCAL YEAR 1956

Everett A. Drew, Taxes, Interest and Costs.	\$	21.78
Ralph E. Drew, Taxes, Interests and Costs	\$	16.28
Est. of Gladys A. Drew, Taxes, Interests and Costs	\$	16.28
Charles Willette, Taxes, Interests and Costs	\$	36.54

#### Taxes Redeemed — Sale of Dec. 31, 1955

Colonial Farm Trust	\$	582.80
Sulo & Irja Kolapakka	\$	19.01

#### Taxes Redeemed — Sale of Dec. 31, 1954

Ralph E. Drew	\$	42.32
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Respectfully submitted,

ERVIN C. ROCKWOOD,

Tax Collector

## REPORT OF TREASURER

### Receipts

From Local Taxes:

Ervin C. Rockwood, Collector

1954 Taxes	Property	\$	38.32	
	Interest		4.00	
	Yield		42.89	
	Interest		2.94	
				\$ 88.15
1955 Taxes	Polls	\$	12.00	
	Head		30.00	
	Penalties		3.00	
	Property		610.76	
	Interest		34.43	
	Yield		101.22	
	Interest		2.85	
				\$ 794.26
1956 Taxes	Poll	\$	306.00	
	Head		970.00	
	Penalties		4.00	
	Property		39,567.32	
	Interest		.38	
	Yield		593.10	
				\$ 41,440.80
				\$ 42,323.21

From other than local taxes:

Reimbursements from State of New Hampshire

State owned land, loss on tax	\$	.35	
Town Road Aid Program		3,509.76	
			\$ 3,510.11

# State of New Hampshire

Class V Highway	\$ 1,119.83	
Interest and Dividends	4,080.09	
Savings Bank Tax	90.19	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,290.11

## From local sources except taxes:

1955 Auto permits	\$ 35.94	
1956 Auto permits	2,368.88	
Dog licenses	149.60	
Temple Vol. Fire Dept. '57 Rent.	1.00	
Harold Kullgren Stove parts	3.00	
Revolver permit	.50	
Town Hall rents	141.00	
Greenfield, reimburse high-rock fire	351.32	
Atter Bro's Lime spreader	2.00	
Albert A. Quinn, Filing Fee	1.00	
Wilton National Bank, rebate on Int.	1.83	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,056.07

## Trustees of Trust Funds

Perpetual care funds	\$ 185.50
Hayward-Davidson fund	20.00

## Cemetery Annual Care

1955	\$ 2.00	
1956	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 242.50

## Trust Fund

Mrs. J. M. Maffee Banks Lot	\$ 100.00
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## Grader Rental

State of New Hampshire	\$ 976.25	
Town of Hancock	525.00	
Ralph Wheeler	3.00	
Malcolm Holt	6.00	
Maurice Stone	59.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,569.25

Note:		
Wilton National Bank, short term		4,000.00
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		\$ 60,091.25
Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1956		14,966.30
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		\$ 75,057.55

### Payments

Wilton National Bank		
Grader	\$ 1,000.00	
Interest	100.00	
Memorial Hall	451.50	
Interest	9.04	
T.R.A. 3 Year Program 1956	4,250.00	
Interest	201.88	
Short Term Loan	4,000.00	
Interest	62.67	
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		\$ 10,075.09
All other payments see Selectmen's report		50,168.22
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Total Payments		\$ 60,243.31
Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1957		14,814.24
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		\$ 75,057.55

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT A. WILLARD,

Treasurer

## ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

### Appropriation

Summer Maintenance	\$ 3,500.00
Gas Tax	1,119.83
Asphalt	1,000.00

### Detailed Payment

Walter N. Russell, labor	\$ 1,494.25
Charles Blood, labor	597.00
Anthony Mazza, labor	11.00
Harold Edwards, labor	4.00
Stephen C. Russell, labor	5.00
Walter N. Russell, truck	484.70
New England Asphalt & Tar Co. Inc.	1,070.52
Fred A. Gleason and Son, rings and valve job on I-D-9	132.10
Scott Machinery Inc., piston base and clutch on Grader	209.50
R. C. Hazelton Co. Inc., blades and labor on I-D-9	102.62
Greenville Auto Service, welding and parts	35.37
Cheshire Oil Co., fuel oil and motor oil	141.82
William Currier, turning brake drum and drilling hole	5.50
Russell Riddle, Jr., welding	12.00
Douglas Bascomb, rake teeth	42.00
Petrometal Industries, signs	75.00
Greenville Grain Co., seed	2.00
Middlesex Imp. Co., parts	14.68
Mervin E. Willard, gas and supplies	16.08
Garbose Metal Co., steel rails	579.02
William Benotti, truck and tractor	53.50
Wilfred Weston, bulldozer	10.50
Edward Elliott, shovel	64.00
Clyde S. Eaton, trucks and loader	121.45
Lewis Taintor, gravel	21.50
George Quinn, sand	3.50
P. J. Keating Co., patch and concrete	207.68
C. W. Babine & Son, lumber	14.16
Richard Odell, tractor	84.64
Kenton Blanchard, tractor and trailer	25.00
Wilton Lumber Co., lumber and wire	147.05
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	\$ 5,787.14



### As Expended

New Bridge Carrol McGrea Rd.	
Steel & Concrete	\$ 889.72
Tarring & Patching	1,346.26
Cutting Brush	183.14
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	\$ 2,419.12
General Maintenance of Highways	
Bridges and Equipment	\$ 3,318.02
Rental of Grader	\$ 1,569.25

### SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriation	\$ 3,000.00
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### Detailed Payment

Walter N. Russell	\$ 1,749.74
Eugene Clement	273.24
Charles Willard	15.37
Charles Blood	45.62
Anthony Mazza	11.00
Edward Elliot	48.00
Maurice W. Stone	9.60
Mervin Willard	18.47
William Benotti	27.00
Walter N. Russell, truck	223.70
Mason K. Harris	22.50
William Pelletier	5.00
Merrimac Tire & Battery Co.	215.50
Greenville Grain Co.	330.00
Greenville Auto Service	75.23
Hopkins Garage	11.45
Rosario Bernnier	76.74
Cheshire Oil Co.	114.50
Russell Riddle, Jr.	56.00
Scott Machinery	116.35
R. C. Hazelton Co. Inc.	301.91
Clyde Eaton	11.75
Ralph Wheeler	155.00
Wilfred Weston	50.00
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	\$ 3,963.67

## TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

### Assets

On deposit Peterborough Savings Bank	\$ 7,785.02
On deposit Mason Village Savings Bank	9,343.22
First National Bank, Peterborough, Ck. Acct.	61.51
(Incorporated Investors, 104 shares)	
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	\$ 17,189.75

### Liabilities

James Bragg Fund	\$ 3,500.00
Interest accumulated	821.22
Harriett M. Buswell Fund	2,500.00
Interest accumulated	990.40
Common Fund	2,000.00
Interest accumulated	386.57
Cemetery Funds	6,184.00
Interest accumulated	484.49
Fannie Abbott Wheeler, Memorial Fund	263.48
Interest accumulated	24.68
Hayward - Davidson Fund	
105 shares Incorporated Investors	
5 shares accumulated	
(divided May '56)	
Accumulated dividends, Ck. Acct.	34.91
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	\$ 17,189.75

### JAMES BRAGG FUND

Jan. 1, 1956 principal and interest	\$ 4,175.92
Peterborough Savings Bank, interest	145.30
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	\$ 4,321.22
On deposit Peterborough Savings Bank	
Dec. 31, 1956	\$ 4,294.62
First National Bank Peterborough, Ck. Acct.	26.60
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	\$ 4,321.22

## COMMON FUND

Jan. 1, 1956 on deposit Mason Village Savings Bank	\$ 2,349.18
Mason Village Savings Bank, interest	71.84
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	\$ 2,421.02

### Expended

David Church, mowing	\$ 34.45
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Dec. 31, 1956 on deposit Mason Village Savings Bank	\$ 2,386.57

## HARRIETT M. BUSWELL FUND

Jan. 1, 1956 principal and interest	\$ 3,370.65
Peterborough Savings Bank, interest	119.75
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	\$ 3,490.40
Dec. 31, 1956	
On deposit Peterborough Savings Bank	\$ 3,490.40

## FANNIE ABBOTT WHEELER MEMORIAL FUND

Jan. 1, 1956 principal and interest	\$ 289.30
Mason Village Savings Bank, interest	8.86
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	\$ 298.16

### Expended

Herbert Willard, for school committee	\$ 10.00
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Dec. 31, 1956 on deposit Mason Village Savings Bank	\$ 288.16

## CEMETERY LOTS FUNDS

Jan. 1, 1956 principal and interest	\$ 6,566.76
Mason Village Savings Bank, interest	199.23
Vernon Banks Fund by Mrs. J. A. Maffee	100.00
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	\$ 6,865.99

### Expended

Town of Temple	\$ 185.50
Flowers, Blood, N. Edwards, Huntley - Wilson	12.00
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	\$ 197.50
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Dec. 31, 1956 on deposit Mason Village Savings Bank	\$ 6,668.49

## HAYWARD-DAVIDSON FUND

Sept. 17, 1952—50 shares incorporated investors	
Dec. 31, 1952—1 share accumulated	
Dec. 31, 1953—1 share accumulated	
Feb. 10, 1956—3 shares accumulated	
May 26, 1956—55 shares (by 2 for 1 stock split)	
Total 110 shares.	
Jan. 1, 1956—First National Bank	
Peterborough, Ck. Acct.	\$ 24.97
Dividends, 5.34, 7.15, 6.05, 6.60, 8.80	33.94
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	\$ 58.91

### Expended

Mervin E. Willard, flowers	\$ 4.00
Town of Temple, mowing, etc.	20.00
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	\$ 24.00
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Dec. 31, 1956 First National Bank	
Peterborough, Checking Account	\$ 34.91

## MEMORIAL DAY ACCOUNT

### Receipts:

Town of Temple	\$ 250.00
Nashua V.F.W. Band (dinners)	35.00
Total	\$ 285.00

### Expenditures:

Nashua V.F.W. Band	\$ 200.00
Flags	5.25
Flowers	29.00
Dinner (expenses only)	47.20
Misc.	8.05
Total	\$ 289.50

Through the combined efforts of the American Legion, the American Legion Auxiliary, the Temple Congregational Church, and the Temple School, the Memorial Day expenses were kept to a minimum. We of the Legion feel sure that the same fine spirit will be shown this year; we therefore recommend that the Town Meeting appropriate the same sum as last year, \$250.00.

Albert A. Quinn, Adjutant

DAY-QUINN-BLOOD Post #106

The American Legion

# TEMPLE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

## Fires Answered in 1956

February 10	Chimney Fire	Hydes
March 2	Truck Fire	Route 101
March 24	Chimney Fire	Ryans
April 28	False Alarm	
August 18	Lightning Fire	North Pack
October 13	House Fire	Choates
Members in the Department		27
Average number present at meetings		6.6
Average number present at drills		3.2

CHARLES E. WILLARD

*Chief*

Balance on hand	\$ 608.59	
In trust 4th July funds	47.00	
Town appropriation	937.20	
Firemen's supper	76.52	
4th July	23.73	
Carl Hedman	8.50	
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		\$1,654.54
Expended:		
Ralph Wheeler (Battery)	\$ 16.95	
Fire Engineer	3.50	
James E. Coffin (Supplies)	16.70	
James E. Coffin (Supplies)	1,118.00	
James E. Coffin (Supplies)	3.30	
Greenville Electric Co.	23.86	
Rosario Bernier	132.74	
Town of Temple (Rent 1957)	1.00	
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		\$1,316.05
Balance	\$ 316.05	
4th July Fund	70.73	
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		\$ 245.72

Fire Department,

MERVIN E. WILLARD

Treasurer



## YOUR TOWN DUMP

### USE IT FREELY

### CARE FOR IT

Your town dump has been set up for your personal convenience. It provides a suitable place where you can dispose of the large amounts of dangerous, inflammable waste material and other useless items which accumulate around your household and local stores, brush, etc., cut on your property. The town dump has become a valuable and indispensable asset in modern community life.

The most successful town dumps are supervised—regular days provided for their use and inflammable material consistently burned. The town dump which receives no attention, where waste material is scattered about without supervision of any description, soon becomes a community menace and a liability rather than an asset.

Many people still burn debris around their homes. A large number of such fires get out of control causing unnecessary damage and expense to the burner. Why burn at home? Make use of your town dump and eliminate the hazard of burning. It will be easier for you—personally and financially.

If, however, you do burn on your premises

1. Secure a permit from your local forest fire warden—the law requires it. The warden won't refuse you if conditions are safe.
2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning. Don't leave it.
3. Make certain your fire is DEAD OUT before leaving it.

Save yourself much possible difficulty

### USE YOUR DUMP FREELY

### HELP KEEP IT SAFE

WINTHROP HANNAFORD

District Fire Chief

HENRY E. FISH

Forest Fire Warden

To the Forest Fire Warden:

The above statement has been prepared because many of you have asked for it. It is intended to inform local residents and to arouse their interest in your problems. A copy has been sent to the Selectmen but it would be well for you to see them and personally request its publication.

District Fire Chief

## CEMETERY LOTS FUNDS

Name	Fund	Principal Jan. 1, '56	Interest	Total	Expense	Principal Dec. 31, '56
Whiting	\$ 100.00	\$ 105.58	\$ 3.20	\$ 108.78	\$ 3.00	\$ 105.78
Buss	100.00	105.38	3.20	108.58	3.00	105.58
N. Edwards	200.00	234.41	7.10	241.51	12.00	229.51
Blood	400.00	430.67	13.03	443.70	20.00	423.70
D. Felt	125.00	134.73	4.09	138.82	4.00	134.82
Spaulding	50.00	52.10	1.58	53.68	1.50	52.18
L. Felt	50.00	53.68	1.64	55.32	1.50	53.82
Ball	50.00	53.08	1.57	54.65	1.50	53.15
Miles	100.00	108.87	3.30	112.17	3.00	109.17
Elias Colburn	100.00	108.95	3.29	112.24	4.00	108.24
B. Farrar	50.00	54.79	1.67	56.46	1.50	54.96
Bragg	100.00	107.83	3.28	111.11	3.00	108.11
Walton	100.00	108.41	3.29	111.70	3.00	108.70
Farwell	50.00	50.99	1.54	52.53	1.50	51.03
G. Young	100.00	111.88	3.39	115.27	3.00	112.27
Huntley & Wilson	200.00	220.49	6.67	227.16	10.00	217.16
Horace Fish	50.00	54.96	1.67	56.63	3.00	53.63
Bragdon	100.00	108.41	3.29	111.70	3.00	208.70
Heald	100.00	106.94	3.24	110.18	3.00	107.18
Hill	100.00	111.26	3.37	114.63	3.00	111.63
J. Brown	150.00	173.36	5.27	178.63	5.00	173.63
Pierce	100.00	107.20	3.25	110.45	3.00	107.45
L. Wheeler	50.00	53.82	1.64	55.46	1.50	53.96
Rockwood	50.00	52.66	1.58	54.24	1.50	52.74
Luman Pease	100.00	108.34	3.28	111.62	3.00	108.62
George Colburn	100.00	106.68	3.24	109.92	3.00	106.92
A. Davidson	75.00	78.31	2.38	80.69	2.50	78.19
E. B. Edwards	34.00	35.89	1.09	36.98	2.00	34.98
Henry E. Fish	50.00	77.71	2.37	80.08		80.08
George F. Farrar	100.00	109.39	3.32	112.71	3.00	109.71
J. Anderson	100.00	109.74	3.33	113.07	3.00	110.07
K. Bigelow	100.00	110.07	3.32	113.39	3.00	110.39
Gr. L. Deering	100.00	109.85	3.33	113.18	3.00	110.18
A. L. Young	100.00	106.04	3.22	109.26	3.00	106.26
George Wheeler	100.00	105.87	3.21	109.08	3.00	106.08
D. L. Burton	50.00	52.11	1.57	53.68	1.50	52.18
A. C. & E. Swift	200.00	221.15	6.69	227.84	6.00	221.84
E. Davidson	100.00	104.14	3.16	107.30	3.00	104.30
F. Burton	200.00	226.80	6.86	233.66	6.00	227.66
A. Wickstrom	50.00	52.78	1.61	54.39	1.50	52.89

Nettie Edwards	50.00	51.68	1.56	53.24	1.50	51.74
James Cutter	100.00	103.46	3.14	106.60	3.00	103.60
John Edwards	100.00	107.18	3.25	110.43	3.00	107.43
Grace Keyes	150.00	157.91	4.78	162.69	4.00	158.69
Blanche Burton	200.00	217.77	6.59	224.36	4.00	220.36
Ernest G. Dumas	200.00	214.04	6.48	220.52	6.00	214.52
Frank Colburn	200.00	211.82	6.41	218.23	5.00	213.23
Will W. Colburn	100.00	103.65	3.14	106.79	3.00	103.79
Nathan & C. Colburn	100.00	103.65	3.14	106.79	3.00	103.79
Flora Rhind	100.00	103.52	3.14	106.66	3.00	103.66
Howard Jerauld	100.00	104.59	3.17	107.76	3.00	104.76
C. P. Wheeler	100.00	105.09	3.19	108.28	3.00	105.28
Milton G. Clark	100.00	103.45	3.14	106.59	3.00	103.59
Clara Wheeler	150.00	152.60	4.64	157.24	3.00	154.24
James Burton	100.00	101.50	3.08	104.58	3.00	101.58
Lewis Howard	100.00	100.00	3.00	103.00	3.00	100.00
V. Banks	100.00		.25	100.25		100.25

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\$6,184.00	\$6,566.76	\$199.23	\$6,765.99	\$197.50	\$6,568.49
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Respectfully submitted,

LYMAN W. GALE

HERBERT A. WILLARD

Trustees Trust Funds

# MANSFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

## REPORT OF TREASURER

### Receipts

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1956	\$	89.02	
Town appropriation		580.00	
Gift		5.00	
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	\$		674.02

### Expenditures

Bernier, oil	\$	173.68	
Librarian		150.00	
Repair fund		60.00	
Repair fund (1/3 of insurance)		40.00	
Books and magazines		23.18	
Care of floors and cleaning		19.10	
Shoveling snow		15.00	
Check book		1.00	
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	\$		481.96
Balance on hand			<hr/>
	\$		192.06

### Insurance and Repair Fund

Cash on hand in Wilton Bank			
Jan. 1, 1956	\$	198.39	
Interest		2.73	
Deposited		100.00	
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Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1956	\$		301.12

Respectfully submitted,

PRISCILLA A. WESTON

Treasurer

## MANSFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

### BUDGET for 1957

Books, magazines and supplies	\$	80.00
Oil		250.00
Repair fund		60.00
1/3 of insurance		40.00
Librarian		206.00
Care of floors and cleaning		40.00
Maintaining of oil burners		20.00
Shoveling snow		10.00
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		\$ 706.00

The report of the Treasurer shows a considerable balance on hand Dec. 31, 1956. This is due to several bills not in at the time the books closed for the year.

Respectfully submitted,

TRUSTEES OF MANSFIELD  
PUBLIC LIBRARY

## MANSFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Temple children borrowed 1463 books during the past year. The adults 729, bringing our total circulation to a total of 2192 for the year.

The trustees met with me to discuss applying again this year for State Aid. We agreed the group to apply for was the Junior and High School group. We agreed to spend the sum of \$50 on books in this group, thus making us eligible. We applied, and our plan was accepted. We are happy to report the sum of \$300 was allowed our library to be spent on books from selected lists.

We feel sure the selections made will be most helpful and enjoyable to the youngsters of Temple.

The Bookmobile and State Library continue their valuable service to our library.

Respectfully submitted,

CLEO E. GIROUX

Librarian

## AUDITORS

We have examined the accounts of the Town Clerk, Treasurer, Selectmen, Tax Collector, Treasurer of Library, Trustees Trust Funds, Treasurer of Fire Department and find them correct and properly vouched.

MALCOLM L. HOLT

EARL W. YOUNG

JOHN A. JESSEN

Auditors





## VITAL STATISTICS

### Births Registered in the Town of Temple for the Year

Ending December 31, 1956

Date of birth—January 23, 1956

Name of Child—Thomas Colburn Weston

Place of Birth—Peterborough, N. H.

Name of Father—Wilfred Colburn Weston

Birthplace of Father—Temple, N. H.

Maiden Name of Mother—Priscilla Eunice Atwood

Birthplace of Mother—Laconia, N. H.

Date of Birth—February 8, 1956

Name of Child—Richard Leland Wright, Jr.

Place of Birth—Peterborough, N. H.

Name of Father—Richard Leland Wright

Birthplace of Father—Claremont, N. H.

Maiden Name of Mother—Kay Jackson

Birthplace of Mother—White River Junction, Vt.

Date of Birth—March 22, 1956

Name of Child—David Ross Edwards

Place of Birth—Peterborough, N. H.

Name of Father—Maurice Ross Edwards

Birthplace of Father—Temple, N. H.

Maiden Name of Mother—Sylvia Patricia Howard

Birthplace of Mother—Worcester, Mass.

Date of Birth—May 9, 1956

Name of Child—Keith Malcolm Holt

Place of Birth—Peterborough, N. H.

Name of Father—Malcolm Lawrence Holt

Birthplace of Father—Temple, N. H.

Maiden Name of Mother—Shirley Shaw

Birthplace of Mother—Arlington, Mass.

Date of Birth—September 25, 1956  
Name of Child—Walter Franz Mazza  
Place of Birth—Peterborough, N. H.  
Name of Father—Walter Carmine Mazza  
Birthplace of Father—Temple, N. H.  
Maiden Name of Mother—Herta Schloemmer  
Birthplace of Mother—Hallstatt, Austria

Date of Birth—November 1, 1956  
Name of Child—Nancy Ann MacWilliams  
Place of Birth—Peterborough, N. H.  
Name of Father—Frank Robert MacWilliams  
Birthplace of Father—Croyden, N. H.  
Maiden Name of Mother—Doris Estelle Hawkins  
Birthplace of Mother—Lyndeboro, N. H.

Date of Birth—December 28, 1956  
Name of Child—Donna Lee Blood  
Place of Birth—Peterborough, N. H.  
Name of Father—Charles Ervin Blood  
Birthplace of Father—Temple, N. H.  
Maiden Name of Mother—Beverley Rose Call  
Birthplace of Mother—Auburn, Maine

## MARRIAGES

### Registered in the Town of Temple for the Year Ending December 31, 1956

April 28, 1956 at Temple, N. H. Lawrence Ross Kullgren and Joan Ruth Banker by Rev. Miriam J. Higgins.

July 2, 1956 at Milford, N. H. Ernest Nathan Drew and Pauline Evelyn Mayhew by Rev. Ernest R. Drake.

July 28, 1956 at Dublin, N. H. William Herbert Willard and Judith Lynne Thompson by Justice of the Peace Frederick L. Weis.

October 10, 1956 at Temple, N. H. Raymond V. Harling and Julia Donaher by Clergywoman Miriam J. Higgins.

December 1, 1956 at Temple, N. H. Richard Allen Benotti and Sandra Daisy Fiske by Rev. Miriam J. Higgins.

## DEATHS

### Registered in the Town of Temple for the Year

Ending December 31, 1956

Date of Death—May 15, 1956  
Name of Deceased—Camilla Vaillancourt  
Age—76  
Place of Birth—St. Port Jolie, Canada  
Name of Father—Elie Thibeault  
Maiden Name of Mother—Agilda Dube

Date of Death—November 11, 1956  
Name of Deceased—George Whitney Quinn  
Age—72  
Place of Birth—Boston, Mass.  
Maiden Name of Mother—Georgia Whitney

### Bodies Brought to Temple for Burial During Year

Ending December 31, 1956

Stephen Ryan Boutwell, January 14, 1956 from Wilton, N. H.  
Katherine Banks, April 27, 1956 from Nashua, N. H.  
Maude Taft Fiske, May 28, 1956 from Peterborough, N. H.  
Jennie Edwards, June 9, 1956 from Manchester, N. H.  
Albert Fiske Davidson, September 14, 1956 from Wilton, N. H.  
Bessie Bragdon, December 9, 1956 from Peterborough, N. H.

### Deaths Recorded in the Town of Temple

Samuel St. John Morgan, November 7, 1956, Watertown, Mass.  
Helen Scott, December 3, 1956, Cambridge, Mass.  
Charles L. Swift, July 10, 1956, New Bedford, Mass.

# RESIDENT

Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property	Poll	Amount of Taxes
*Allen, Carroll L.	Home 1½a \$3500		\$144.00
Allen, Elinor P.	Soldier's Exemption 1000	2.00	
Anderson, Eino			
Auricchio, Anna	Inn Property 7a 6000	2.00	347.60
Auricchio, Joseph		2.00	
Andersen, Elizabeth		2.00	
Banker, Alice R.		2.00	
Banker, Charles G.	Stark Place 35a 3300	2.00	
	2 Horses 50		
	1 Cow 60		
	1 Neatstock 40		200.72
Barber, Dorothy B.		2.00	
Barber, Dorothy J.		2.00	
Barber, Eugene L.	Farrar Place 65a 7200	2.00	
	2 Horses 100		422.48
Barber, Fred		2.00	
Barry, Collins & Barry	Worcester Lot 315a 630		36.29
Barry, Daniel M.	Foster 80a 160		
	School House 50		
	Dunbar 80a 160		
	2 Cows 120	2.00	30.22
Barry, David J. & Daniel M.	Home Farm & Fleming 151a 5500		
	Barker Farm & Cottage 135a 3000		
	May Lot 90a 180		499.97
Barry, David J., Daniel M. & John P.	Spaulding Lot 110a 330		19.01
Barry, John P.		2.00	
Barry, Kathryn C.		2.00	
Benotti, Gertrude		2.00	
Benotti, F. William		2.00	
Benotti, F. William & Gertrude	Home, Camps & Garage 15a 4500		
	Melendy Lot 12a 125		
	1 Horse 20		267.55
Bernier, Irene		2.00	
Bernier, Robert		2.00	
*Bigelow, David H.			
*Bigelow, Karl W.	Home 1a 2800		
	Guest House 6a 4500		420.48
Bigelow, Margaret J.		2.00	
Blood, Annie		2.00	
*Blood, Charles	Sheldon Land 2a 100		
	1 Cow 60	2.00	11.22
Blood, Frances E. & Wallace R.	Cottage 12a 2500		
	Soldier's Exemption 1000		
	1 Cow 60		89.86
Blood, Frances E.		2.00	
Blood, Fred	Home Farm 162a 3300	2.00	192.08
*Blood, Wallace R.			
Briggs, Nathalie		2.00	
Bucko, Mary		2.00	
Benotti, Richard			

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Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property	Poll	Amount of Taxes
Carr, Florence J.	1/2 Int. Home 11a 1500 1/2 Int. Perkins Mt. Lot 20a 20 1/2 Int. Holden Lot 63a 50	2.00	92.43
Carter, Lucy P.		2.00	
Caswell, Christina L.		2.00	
*Caswell, Winthrop P.			
Caswell, Winthrop P., Christina L.	Echo Farm & Cabin 125a 13000 Soldier's Exemption 1000		691.20
*Church, Cyrus C.			
Church, Esther S.		2.00	
Church, Cyrus C. & Esther S.	O'Hara Cottage 3 1/2a 3700		213.12
Clapper, Clarabelle D.		2.00	
Clapper, Melvin		2.00	
Clark, Milton G.	House Trailer 150	2.00	10.64
Clark, Sarah M.		2.00	
Clement, Anne B.		2.00	
Clement, Emily W.		2.00	
Clement, Eugene E.	Pratt 75a 300 Home 7a 4200		259.20
Clement, Eugene E., Jr.		2.00	
Clement, Estate of Flora E.	Jowders 13a 1100		63.36
Clement, Hazel A.	Home 2a 3500	2.00	
Connell, Florence	Soldier's Exemption 1000	2.00	145.00
*Connell, William			
Cutter, Frank E.	Home 10a 2900		163.21
*Cutter, Susie L.	96 Fowl 22		
Davidson, Albert	Cottage 100	2.00	7.75
Davidson, Estate of Everett W.	Schoolhouse 1100		63.36
*Davidson, Hervey F.	Home 5a 3800 Exemption 1000		161.28
Day, Frances P.		2.00	
Day, F. L. & F. P.	Writer's Lodge 29 1/2a 1800 Brooks Lot 138 1/2a 275		119.52
Day, Frederick L.	Tenney Lot 30a 60	2.00	5.46
Day, Murray G. & Viola M.	Farm 174a 6500		374.40
Dennis, Ethel P.		2.00	
Dillaby, Charles P.	Home 1/2a 2700	2.00	157.52
Donahoe, Helen		2.00	
Donahoe, Mary F.		2.00	
Donahoe, Mary F. & Helen	Sanborn Place 4 1/2 5400		311.04
*Drew, Everett A.	1/3 Int. Home 3a 250		14.40
Drew, Estate of Gladys A.	1/3 Int. Home 3a 250		14.40
*Drew, Ralph E.	1/3 Int. Home 3a 250		14.40
Dumas, Estate of Seraphine	Home 3a 10000		576.00
Dumas, Gardner D.		2.00	
Dumas, Beryl M.		2.00	



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Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property		Poll	Amount of Taxes
Edwards, Maurice & Patricia S.	Banks Land 12a			
	2 Cottages	1500		
	Soldier's Exemption	1000		28.80
Edwards, Patricia S.			2.00	
*Edwards, Maurice				
*Edwards, Harold V.	Home 3a	1400		
	Soldier's Exemption	1000		23.04
Ellis, George C.			2.00	
Ellis, Margaret			2.00	
Ellison, Cornelia	Maynard Farm 90a	5000		
	1 Horse	25		
	2 Cows	115		296.06
Ellison, Louis			2.00	
Fish, Henry E.	Thirds 40a	100		
	½ Int. Davidson			
	Home 11a	1500		
	½ Int. Perkins 20a	20		
	¾ Int. Holden 63a	150	2.00	103.95
Fiske, Edwin H.			2.00	
Fiske, Ethel L.			2.00	
Fiske, Orlo J.	Fiske 57a			
	Home 18a	12000		
	2500 Fowl	1825		796.32
Giroux, Cleo			2.00	
*Giroux, Robert				
Giroux, Cleo, Robert	Johnson Cottage 10a	2000		115.20
Gove, Ada F.			2.00	
Gove, Lindsey H.			2.00	
Gove, Lindsey H. & Ada F.	Home 19a	3100		
Gove, Jane	3 Sheep	30		180.29
*Gove, Robert			2.00	
*Harling, John B.				
Harling, Margaret E.			2.00	
Harling, John B. & Margaret E.				
Hadley, Clara L.	Clapper Cottage 10a	3500		201.60
	Farm 80a	3000		
	2 Cows	120		
	1 Neatstock	50		182.59
Hadley, Marion L.			2.00	
Hadley, Mary B.			2.00	
Hadley, Osgood L.	Home 5a	2200	2.00	128.72
Hadley, Wilfred G.	Home 58a	2000	2.00	117.20
Hadley, Perley W.	Fuller 120a	240		13.82
Hedman, Barbara			2.00	
Hedman, Carl I.	Home 1a	5800		
	Boynton Thirds 13½a	30	2.00	337.81
Hill, Carolyn S. B.	Home & Farm 104a	10000		576.00
Hitchcock, Dorothy M.			2.00	
*Hitchcock, Guy C.				
Higgins, Miriam J.			2.00	
Holt, Alvin W.	Home & Farm 58a	5700		
	Conant 7½a	350		
	Mt. Pasture 320a	400		
	Hartshorn 30a	60		
	Richardson 20a	40		
	Hayward 30a	250		

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Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property	Poll	Amount of Taxes
Holt, Alvin W. (Continued)	Rice 24a 50 Sarkela 90a 2700 Whitcomb 100a 200 Robbins 25a 50		564.48
Holt, Alvin W., Jr.	¾ Int. in Old Holt Place 200a 4350 22 Cows 1980 4 Neatstock 240	2.00	380.43
Holt, Alvin W. & Charles	Hudson 43a 150		8.64
Holt, Barbara E. *Holt, Malcolm L.	Home 2a 2300 20 Cows 1800 5 Neatstock 300 Soldier's Exemption 1000	2.00	195.84
Holt, Estate of Merrill L.	¼ Int. in Old Holt Place 200a 1450 Conant 4a 200		95.04
Holt, Sadie L.		2.00	
Holt, Shirley L.		2.00	
Holt, Velma C.		2.00	
*Hyde, John T.			
Hyde, Muriel		2.00	
Hines, Hattie		2.00	
Jessen, Ethel B.		2.00	
Jessen, N. John	Home 56a 2300	2.00	134.48
Kendall, Abbie E.	Farm 80a Old Place 5500	2.00	318.80
Kullgren, Bernice		2.00	
Kullgren, Gustaf L.	Heald Farm 30a 4500	2.00	261.20
*Kullgren, Harold N. Kullgren, Harold N. & Myrtie F.	Home Farm 20a 3800		218.88
*Kullgren, Howard B. *Kullgren, Karl P.	In Service		
Kullgren, Mabel N.		2.00	
Kullgren, Myrtie F.		2.00	
Kullgren, Barbara		2.00	
Lackey, Katherine P.	Home 57a 5600		322.56
Leighton, Dorothea W. Leighton, Estate of Edgar L.	Upland Acres Farm 55a 5600 Cottage 1800	2.00	426.24
Leighton, Edgar L., Jr.	Spaulding 40a 80 Upland Acres Orchard 85a 600 Grover 80a 160 Hadley 20a 80 Conant Land 5½a 100 5 Sheep 50	2.00	63.63
Leighton, Edgar L., Jr. & Dorothea W.	Mears 40a 120 Stroyer 7a 170		16.70
Mansfield, Jessie	Home 14a 1500		86.40
*Marr, J. Donald *Marr, J. Donald, Jr.	Hodkins 14a 1200 Marr Property & Bungalow 6a 500		97.92

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Marr, Marion H.	Home 32a 3200	2.00	
	Soldier's Exemption 1000		
	2 Cows 120		
	1 Neatstock 50		138.51
Marshall, Mabel		2.00	
Maynard, Lillian P.		2.00	
Maynard, Stanley P.		2.00	
Maynard, Stanley P. & Lillian P.	Home Farm 87a 4500		
	6 Cows 300		276.48
Mazza, Anthony F., Jr.	½ Tobey Lot 6a 15	2.00	2.89
*Mazza, Hattie	Home 20a 3300		
	Soldier's Exemption 1000		132.48
Mazza, Herta		2.00	
*Mazza, John A.	½ Tobey Lot 15		.89
Mazza, Pauline W.		2.00	
Mazza, Phyllis W.		2.00	
Mazza, Phyllis W. & Anthony F.	Wickstrom Place 26a 1700		97.92
*Mazza, Walter C.	Hayward Farm 160a 3000		
	Soldier's Exemption 1000		115.20
McCrea, Carroll L.	Home Farm 415 2500		
	2 Horses 50		
	3 Cows 195		158.11
Morgan, Mary B.	Home 183a 12600	2.00	727.76
Nutting, Roger N. & Mary L.	Hayward Land 200		11.52
Nutting, Mary L.		2.00	
*Nutting, Roger N.			
Odell, Gertrude M. & Richard	Wheeler Land 13a 300		
	Home, Farm & Camps 56a 4800		
	Kendall Thirds 40a 100		
	Hadley 26a 100		
	1 Horse 25		
	27 Cows 2295		
	1200 Fowls 850		487.87
Odell, Gertrude M.		2.00	
Odell, Richard		2.00	
*Orcutt, Elliott			
Orcutt, Katharine P.		2.00	
Orcutt, Elliott & Katharine P.	Goodrich Place 13a 3000		
	Soldier's Exemption 1000		115.20
Pajanen, Irene S.		2.00	
*Pajanen, Richard T.	Home 3a 2800		
	Soldier's Exemption 1000		103.68
*Peterson, John D.			
Peterson, Virginia		2.00	
Peterson, John D. & Virginia	Gale Place 130a 8200		
	Soldier's Exemption 1000		414.72
*Phillis, Albert H.	Cottage 600		
	Soldier's Exemption 600		
Phillis, Estate of Alvin	Farm 38a 600		34.56
Phillis, Alice M.		2.00	
Phillis, Ruth G.		2.00	
*Pearson, Robert C.			
Pearson, Ruth M.		2.00	
Poucher, Florence E.	Cottage 200		11.52

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Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property	Poll	Amount of Taxes
Putnam, George W.	Banks Place 25a 2200 11 Sheep 110		133.06
Page, Gladys		2.00	
Pearson, Robert C. & Ruth M.	Pajanen Home 68a 2000 Soldier's Exemption 1000		57.60
*Pyle, Robert N.		2.00	
Pyle, Edith R.			
Pyle, Robert N. & Edith R.	Gamsby Place 1a 5800 Soldier's Exemption 1000		276.48
*Quinn, Albert A.	Cottage 2a 2200 Soldier's Exemption 1000		69.12
Quinn, George W.		2.00	
Quinn, Kittie E.	Home & Stand 90a 2600 1 Cow 65		155.51
Quinn, Brooks		2.00	
Quinn, Madelyn	Home 2100 1 Cow 60		126.42
Quinn, Ruth E.		2.00	
*Quinn, Warren		2.00	
Quinn, Winifred			
Quinn, Warren & Winifred	Part of Rockwood Farm 5a 50		2.88
Raymond, Helen		2.00	
Raymond, Manuel		2.00	
Raymond, Helen & Manuel	Wheeler Cottage 2a 2400		138.24
Richmond, Dolores		2.00	
Richmond, Emory M.		2.00	
Riney, William	3 Sheep 30		3.73
Rockwood, Edna E.		2.00	
Rockwood, Ervin C.	Home 80a 6600		382.16
Rockwood, Helen L.		2.00	
*Rockwood, Norman F.			
Rockwood, Norman F. & Edna E.	Jowders Place 3a 600		34.56
Rowbotham, Arthur H.		2.00	
Rowbotham, Gladys W.	Edwards Place 27a 9000		520.40
Russell, Walter N.	Hayward Land 20a 1500		88.40
Russell, Gertrude		2.00	
Ryan, Gertrude		2.00	
Ryan, Kenneth		2.00	
Ryan, Gertrude & Kenneth	Home 1a 1500		86.40
Salisbury, Lester W. & Maude I.	Maki Place 500		28.80
Salisbury, Caleb T.		2.00	
Salisbury, Lester W.		2.00	
Salisbury, Caleb T. & Lester W.	Glen Farm 247a 3900 Log Cabin 400 2 Horses 50 17 Cows 1275 4 Neatstock 200		335.52
Salisbury, Maude I.		2.00	
Sanford, T. Fenwick		2.00	
Sarkala, John		2.00	
Scott, Helen		2.00	
Seeley, Caroline H.		2.00	

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Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property		Poll	Amount of Taxes
Shaw, Julia T.			2.00	
*Shaw, Robert M.	Home 2a	4000		230.40
*Sheldon, Earl			2.00	
Sheldon, Florence				
Sheldon, Earl & Florence	Anderson Cottage 1½a	2300		
Sheldon, Joseph H.	Soldier's Exemption	1000		74.88
*Silver, Joseph A.	Farm 45a	3000		172.80
	Home & Rockwood			
	Land 10a	3700		213.12
Stimson, Evelyn	½ Int. Farm & Camp 80a	2400	2.00	140.24
Stimson, Guy A.			2.00	
*Stone, Charles L.	Dinsmore Pasture 12a	100		
	1 Portable Mill	500		34.56
Stone, Ernest E.	Anderson Place 93a	2400	2.00	140.24
Stone, Ernest E. & Quinn, Warren	Hall Pasture 93a	200		11.52
Stone, Helen M.	1/3 Int. in Home Farm 176a	1200	2.00	71.12
Stone, Herman G.	1/3 Int. in Home Farm 176a	1200		
	3 Horses	75		
	1 Cow	60		
	30 Sheep	300	2.00	96.18
*Stone, Maurice	1/3 Int. in Home Farm 176a	1200		
	Sheldon 7a	150		
	Holden 102a	200		
	Cottage 10a	1900		
	Sheldon Lot 3a	100		204.48
Swift, A. Clinton & Ethel W.	Howard Place 48a	18000		1044.86
	2 Cows	140		
*Swift, Frederic W.			2.00	
Timms, Harold			2.00	
Timms, Margaret			2.00	
Tainter, Lewis H.	Flagg Farm 44a	3200	2.00	197.84
	Stock in Trade	200		
Tainter, Olga E.			2.00	
Tainter, Lewis H. & Olga E.	Heald Land ½a	100		5.76
Tyler, Gerta			2.00	
*Tyler, Russell				
Tyler, Florence	Home 2a	1500	2.00	88.40
Tyler, Phillis			2.00	
*Walker, Laurence				
Walker, Mary			2.00	
Walker, Laurence & Mary	Home 2a	4800		276.48
Weston, Priscilla			2.00	
Weston, Ruth C.	Frank Colburn Place 105a	4000		
	Will Colburn Place 100a	4600	2.00	497.36
Weston, Wilfred	19 Cows	1615		
	3 Neatstock	180	2.00	105.39
Wheeler, Alberta L.			2.00	

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Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property		Poll	Amount of Taxes
Wheeler, Ralph L.	Farm 160a	4800	2.00	
	37 Cows	3330		470.29
Whitcomb, Christine M.			2.00	
Whitcomb, Kenneth H.	Farm 117a	5000		
	24 Cows	2040		
	3 Neatstock	180	2.00	417.87
Willard, Elise			2.00	
Willard, Florence E.	Hadley Farm 134a	4000		246.53
	4 Cows	280	2.00	
Willard, Herbert A.			2.00	
Willard, Mervin E.			2.00	
Willard, Mervin E. & Elise	Store Property 3a	10000		
	Stock in Trade	4500		835.20
Willard, Raymon			2.00	
Wolbers, Mary J.			2.00	
Woodward, Clark			2.00	
Woodward, Muriel E.	Bennett Place 6a	1500		
	Hamlin Place 25a	11000	2.00	722.00
*Wright, Richard				
Wright, Kay			2.00	
*Young, Earl W.	Home 13a	4500		
	Chapman 40a	80		
	Wilson 15a	200		
	Codman 120a	240		
	Lovejoy 13a	75		
	62 Turkeys	89.50		298.64

# NON-RESIDENT

Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property	Amount of Taxes
Atter Bros.	Burton Farm 247a \$3500	\$201.60
Anderson, Carl L.	Putnam Lot & Cottage 3a 1100	63.36
Beebe, Charles C., Jr.	Ski Tows & Cabins 4000	264.96
	Dakin 60a 600	
Beebe, Alice W.	Collins Land & Camp 100a 500	28.80
Bramhall, Roberta M.	Wood Lot 20a 150	8.64
Burrill, Kenneth C. & Rumualda S. & Sadie E.	Seth Wheeler Land & Cottage 36a 1500	86.40
Birkenstock, Robert	Leeward Cabin 5a 1400	
	¼ Batchelder Lot & Shop 195a 200	
	1/3 Glasier Garage 1a 150	100.80
Brown, Alice G.	Wheeler Place 45½a 11000	633.60
Casey, William E., Treas.	North Pack Lodge 2000	115.20
Cheever, Austin F. & Willette M.	Cottage & Land 1000	57.60
Cheshire Oil Co.	(3) Gas Pumps & Tanks 360	20.74
City Service	(8) Gas Pumps & Tanks 320	18.43
Corwin, Arthur R. & Eleanor H.	Morris Place 30a 16000	921.60
Cushing, Frederick J.	Cutter Lot 30a 150	8.64
Davidson, Henry	Ball 16a 30	
	Rice 15a 45	4.33
Derbyshire, Earl H.	½ Int. Farm & Camp 80a 2400	
	Soldier's Exemption 1000	80.64
Donald, Alice W.	Wheeler Homestead 15a 9000	518.40
Dowse, Juliet H.	Chestnut Hill 30a 300	17.28
Eaton, Mrs. Henry	Burton Farm 248a 6000	345.60
Fenerty, Rufus II	Hayward Lot 65a 200	11.52
Flynn, Frederick J.	Young Farm 93a 2200	126.72
Foote, Gladys E.	Emery Pasture 57a 150	8.64
Frye, E. B. & Sons	Heald Lot 135a 500	28.80
Giroux, Archibald & Audrey M.	Baker House 3a 9000	
	Kullgren Land 11a 200	
	Temple Cabins & Stand 4a 10000	1105.92
Goyette, A. Erland	Hadley 40a 200	
	Child 40a 80	
	Ames 60a 120	
	Hartwell 120a 240	36.86
Goyette, & Brennan	Mt. Lot 100a 200	11.52
Greenville Electric Light Co.	Lines & Poles 22000	1267.20
Gulf Oil Corp.	2 Pumps & Tanks 320	18.43
Gulick, Ora D.	Rockwood Land 2a 300	17.28
Goldman, Tilor Z. & Constance S.	Keene Place 11a 1000	57.60
Havey, Howard A.	Melendy Farm 300a 18000	1036.80
Hayward, Charles P.	Howard Hill Land 2a 200	11.52



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Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property	Amount of Taxes
Heald, P. C.	Briggs 60a 180 Parkhurst 30a 90 Baldwin 30a 90 Moore 125a 250 Upton & Vieno 160a 320 Kimball, Horton & Wheeler 172a 2200	
Heald, Estate of S. C.	Dutton 92a 300 Moran 10a 30 Stone 10a 30 Scannon 50a 100	197.57 9.22
Hedman, Sverka & Edna B.	Bramhall Cottage 4a 5000	288.00
Hill, Marion	Miller Place 152a 9000	518.40
Holt, Frank E.	Cottage 22a 600	34.56
Hurd, Chester	Bacon Lot 40a 150	8.64
Johnston, Bertha A.	Hyde Home & Sheldon Land 5a 4000	230.40
Kolapakka, Sulo & Irja	Land 5a 50	2.88
Lampi, Andrew & Fannie	Bacon Land 10a 50	2.88
Lawson, Edward	Camp & Smith Lot 20a 1100	63.36
Leatherbee, William B., & Mary H.	Cutter Farm 120a 7000	403.20
Lorden, Estate of Dennis F.	Fiske Lot 180a 400	23.04
Macomber, Alesander & Alfreda	Fors Land & Cottage 5a 3500	201.60
Maretti, John H. & Ada F.	Boutwell Place 35a 2900	167.04
Matson, Waine	Hersom Lot 10a 100	5.76
McGowan, Irma G.	Wheeler, Hodgeman & Hudson 60a 240	13.82
McLeod, Kenneth	Merriam Place 93a 1500	86.40
Melendy, Estate of C. F.	Whiting 280 560 Foster 10a 30 W. Barker 100a 200 A. Barker 140a 280	61.63
Melfi, Mary F., Rose V. & Louise	Burton Land 6a 300	17.28
Mercer, F. C. & Co.	Simpson Lot 36a 70	4.03
Miller, Charles Duncan	1/4 Batchelder Lot & Shop 195a 200 Camp 5a 1000 1/3 Int. Glasier Garage 1a 150 Tenney Pasture 30a 150	77.76 8.64
Nichols, Charles		
Nichols, Warren A. & Jessie	Brown Cottage 3/4a 1400	80.64
Parkiala, Alfred J. & Cecelia A.	D. Fish Land 50a 150 Preston Land 4a 20	9.79
Pajanen, George W.	Building Lot 2a 200	11.52
Peters, A. W.	Gas Tanks & Pumps (4) 200	11.52
Pierce, Byron H.	Camp 3/4a 400	23.04
Prescott, C. Dean	Tenney Land 44a 100	5.76
Preston, Frank	Whiting Land 107a 300	17.28

# NON-RESIDENT

Name	Description & Value of Real Estate & Personal Property	Amount of Taxes
Preston, John	Bacon Lot 48a 150	8.64
Proctor, Nathalie B.	Moran Place 160a 2400	138.24
Public Service Co. of N. H.	Lines & Poles 2000	115.20
Putnam, J. A. G.	Pasture 38a 100	5.75
Palmer, Elsie M.	Burton's Farm 90a 8000	460.80
Reed, Howard A. & Dorothy G.	¼ Int. Batchelder Lot & Shop 195a 200	
	Camp 5a 1500	
	1/3 Glasier's Garage 1a 150	
	Wheeler Cottage 1000	164.16
Rice, Harris	Preston Lot 21a 100	5.76
Richardson, Laura	Walton Farm 164a 28000	
	Wilder Lot 85a 500	1641.60
Sanborn, Gene	Cottage 1a 2000	115.20
Sanford, Wallace & Jessie W.	Tuttle Place 75a 3300	190.08
Sedgwick, John P.	Fisher 9a 11000	
	Bemis 150a 3500	835.20
Smith, Gordon & Merrie Ellen	Cottage 2a 600	34.56
Von Sneidern, Karl & Helen	Fish Place 120a 1200	69.12
Spiegel, Hans	¼ Batchelder Lot & Shop 195a 200	
	Camp 5a 1000	69.12
Stratton, Harry E. & Kathleen R.	Bungalow 10a 2200	
	Hill Land 38a 1800	230.40
Somy, Hilda B.	Chaffee Cabin 3a 800	46.08
Schwartz, Herbert A.	Sheldon Land 1a 100	5.76
Taft, Estate of J. C.	Burton 23a 150	8.64
Temple Mt. Club, Inc.	Brown Lot & Camp 75a 1100	63.36
Tennessee Gas Transmission Co.	Radio Tower & Bldg. 1200	69.12
Tuttle, Robert P.	Heald Lot 100a 250	14.40
Tobey, Charles, Jr.	Tobey Farm 82a 11000	633.60
Vinton, Sidney R. & Helen R.	Merriam Place 20a 2600	149.76
Walen, Frances M.	Anderson Cottage 2a	
	Nason Land 1a 3200	184.32
Walkup, Donald & Alberta C.	Quinn Home 26a 2400	138.24
Wheeler, Robert P.	Mt. Lot 80a 200	11.52
Whiting, David & Sons, Inc.	Foster 80a 300	17.28
Whitney, Stephen J., Jr.	Y.M.C.U. Land 480 900	51.84
Willette, Charles	Collins Homestead 100a 600	34.56
Ware, Rachel A. & Beatrice E.	Ware Cottage 1a 1500	86.40

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

### Moderator

Mr. Lewis Tainter	Term Expires March 1957
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### Treasurer

Mr. Herbert Willard	June 1957
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### Clerk

Mr. Herbert Willard	March 1957
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### Auditors

Messrs. Earl Young, Malcolm Holt, George Quinn	March 1957
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### School Board Members

Mr. Carl Hedman, Chairman	March 1957
Mrs. Gerda Tyler, Secretary	March 1958
Mrs. Dorothea Leighton	March 1959

### Superintendent of Schools

Mr. Newell J. Paire

### School Nurse

Miss Sybil M. Beatham, R. N.

### Teaching Staff for 1956-1957

Grammar—Grades 6, 7, 8	Principal, Miss Helen Stone
Intermediate—Grades 3, 4, 5	Mrs. Alice Hammond
Primary—Grades 1, 2	Mrs. Lucy Carter
Music Supervisor	Miss Ethelyn G. Edwards

### School Calendar

1956-57:

School opens Jan. 4, 1957, Closes Feb. 15

School opens Feb. 25, Closes April 19

School opens April 29, Closes June 14

1957-58:

School opens Sept. 4, 1957, Closes Nov. 27

School opens Dec. 2, Closes December 20

School opens Jan. 6, 1958, Closes February 21

School opens March 3, Closes April 25

School opens May 5, Closes June 13

Holiday: May 30—Memorial Day

Teachers' Convention: Oct. 17 and 18 (Subject to change)

Total Number of School Days	180
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Total Number of Weeks	37
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## SCHOOL WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Temple qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Temple Public School in said district on the 7th day of March 1957, at eight o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officer or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate a deficiency sum of \$447.50 for the purpose of defraying additional costs relating to transportation contracts for the school year 1956-57, such sum to be available to the School Board prior to June 30, 1957, or take any action relating thereto.

10. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate a deficiency sum of \$175.00 for the purpose of defraying additional fuel costs during the school year 1955-56, necessitating an advance on the 1956-57 budget, and make such sum available to the school board prior to June 30, 1957, or take any action relating thereto.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Temple this 26th day of January, 1957.

CARL I. HEDMAN  
GERDA E. TYLER  
DOROTHEA W. LEIGHTON  
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CARL I. HEDMAN  
GERDA E. TYLER  
DOROTHEA W. LEIGHTON  
School Board

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

### Administration

1.	Salaries of District Officers	\$ 141.00
2.	Superintendent's Salary (local share)	305.03
3.	Tax for State Wide Supervision	190.00
4.	Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	165.83
5.	Supplies and Expenses	261.88

### Instruction

6.	Teacher's Salaries	9,356.55
7.	Books and Other Instructional Aids	434.49
8.	Scholar's Supplies	602.06
10.	Supplies and Other Expenses	32.32

### Operation of School Plant

11.	Salaries of Custodian	210.00
12.	Fuel or Heat	838.03
13.	Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	351.91

### Maintenance of School Plant

14.	Repairs and Replacements	744.46
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### Auxiliary Activities

15.	Health Supervision	163.60
16.	Transportation	3,073.50
17.	Tuition	5,950.00
18.	Special Fund Activities	29.37
18a.	School Lunch	344.04

### Fixed Charges

19.	Retirement	642.62
20.	Insurance, Treas. Bond and Expenses	60.04

Total Net Current Expenses		\$23,896.73
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### Capital Outlay

21.	Lands and New Buildings	84.00
23.	New Equipment	79.20

		\$ 163.20
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### Debt and Interest

25.	Payments on Principal of Debt	2,000.00
26.	Payments of Interest on Debt	550.00

		\$ 2,550.00
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Total Net Payments for all Purposes		\$26,609.93
Cash Balance on Hand at the end of year June 30, 1956		3.35

		\$26,613.28
Grand Total Payments		\$26,613.28



## Receipts

Federal Aid:		
Received from National School Lunch	\$331.50	
State Aid:		
Received Foundation Aid	144.67	
Local Taxation:		
Received from Selectmen	25,961.12	
Advance on next year's appropriation	175.00	
Total Net Receipts from all Sources		\$26,612.29
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1955		.99
Grand Total Net Receipts		\$26,613.28

## BALANCE SHEET

## ASSETS:

Cash on Hand June 30, 1956	\$	3.35	
Received from Federal Agency		12.60	
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Total Assets		15.95	
Net Debt			\$20,159.05
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Grand Total			\$20,175.00

## LIABILITIES:

Accounts Owed by District	
Advance on '56-'57 Appropriation	\$ 175.00
Notes and Bonds	20,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$20,175.00
Grand Total	\$20,175.00

## STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

1954-'55 Addition:

Outstanding at Beginning of year	\$22,000.00
Payments of Principal of Debt	2,000.00

Notes and Bonds Outstanding at End of Year	\$20,000.00
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Respectfully submitted,  
CARL HEDMAN  
GERDA TYLER  
DOROTHEA LEIGHTON  
School Board



# DETAILED STATEMENT OF DISBURSEMENTS

Fiscal Year July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

## Administration

1. Salaries of District Officers:		
Herbert Willard, Treasurer	\$35.00	
Lillian Maynard, Chairman	30.00	
Carl Hedman, Secretary	40.00	
Priscilla A. Weston	30.00	
Auditors	6.00	
		\$141.00
2. Superintendent's Salary (local share)		
Supervisory Union #63		305.03
3. Tax for State-Wide Supervision:		
State Treasurer		190.00
4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel:		
Supervisory Union #63	\$157.83	
Gerda Tyler, Census Enumerator	8.00	
		\$165.83
5. Expenses of Administration		261.88

## Instruction

6.	Teacher's Salaries:		
	Miss Helen Stone	\$3,050.00	
	Mrs. Lucy Carter	2,766.55	
	Mrs. Alice Hammond	2,900.00	
	Miss Ethelyn Edwards	400.00	
	Mrs. Barbara Putnam (Substitute)	50.00	
	Mrs. Marion Sargent (Substitute)	140.00	
	Mrs. Neta Frost (Substitute)	50.00	
			\$9,356.55
7.	Books and Other Instructional Aids		434.49
8.	Scholar's Supplies		602.06
10.	Supplies and Other Expenses		32.32

## Operation of School Plant

11.	Salaries of Janitors:		
	David Church, Treasurer	\$148.00	
	Edgar Leighton, 3rd, mowing lawn	12.00	
	Frederick Gove, mowing lawn	12.00	
	Better School Club, Janitor Service	38.00	
			\$210.00
12.	Fuel:		
	Rosario Bernier		838.03
13.	Lights, Supplies and Expenses		351.91

## Maintenance of School Plant

14. Repairs and Replacements:		
Robert Fish	\$337.71	
Edwin J. Doucette	65.99	
Lewis H. Tainter	318.95	
Supervisory Union #63	1.21	
William L. Nutting Inc.	18.00	
Brooks Quinn	2.60	
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		\$744.46

## Auxiliary Activities

15. Health Supervision:		
C. G. Cayward, M. D.	\$ 15.00	
Sybil M. Beatham, R. N.	137.87	
Supervisory Union #63	1.59	
Teacher's Retirement	3.60	
Joslin Hardware	4.95	
Clukay Pharmacy	.59	
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		\$163.60
16. Transportation:		
Henry Fish	\$2,655.00	
Alice Banker	418.50	
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		\$3,073.50
17. Tuition:		
Appleton Academy	\$2,800.00	
Peterborough School District	3,150.00	
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		\$5,950.00
18. Special Fund Activities:		
Watertown Mfg. Co.	\$4.02	
Supervisory Union #63	1.95	
Brooks Quinn	23.40	
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		29.37
18a. School Lunch		\$344.04

### Fixed Charges

19.	Retirement:		
	N. H. Teacher's Retirement System		642.62
20.	Insurance, Treasurer's Bond and Expenses:		
	H. D. Cheever Agency	\$46.04	
	G. A. Reynolds	4.00	
	N. H. School Board Association	10.00	
		<hr/>	\$60.04

### Capital Outlay

21.	Land and New Buildings		
	Walter N. Russell		84.00
23.	New Equipment		79.20

### Debt and Interest

25.	Payments on Principal of Debt:		
	Peterborough Savings Bank		2,000.00
26.	Payments of Interest on Debt:		
	Peterborough Savings Bank		550.00
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	Total Expended for all Purposes		\$26,609.93

Respectfully submitted,

CARL HEDMAN

GERDA TYLER

DOROTHEA LEIGHTON

School Board

## DISBURSEMENTS BY SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956

Salaries of District Officers	\$ 139.00
Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)	361.80
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	222.40
Tax for State-wide Supervision	186.00
Supplies and Expenses	249.72
Teacher's Salaries	3,569.32
Books and Other Instructional Aids	458.38
Scholars' Supplies	427.35
Salaries of Janitors	54.50
Fuel	102.87
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	101.73
Repairs and Replacements	758.07
Health Supervision	76.10
Transportation	1,422.50
Tuitions	2,084.16
Special Activities	9.48
School Lunch	36.90
Retirement	216.00
Insurance, Bonds and Expenses	47.58
Land and New Buildings	9.95
Additions and Improvements to Buildings	171.82
New Equipment	353.33
Payment of Principal on Debt	2,000.00
Payment of Interest on Debt	500.00
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	\$13,558.96

Respectfully submitted,

CARL HEDMAN

GERDA TYLER

DOROTHEA LEIGHTON

School Board

# ANNUAL REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1956

## Summary

Cash on Hand July 1, 1955		.99
Received from Selectmen:		
Current Appropriation	\$25,961.12	
Advance on Next Year's Appropriation	175.00	
Received from State Treasurer:		
State Aid	144.67	
Federal Funds	331.50	
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Total Receipts		\$26,612.29
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Total Amount Available for fiscal year		\$26,613.28
Less School Board Orders Paid		\$26,609.93
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Cash Balance on Hand June 30, 1956		\$ 3.35
July 15, 1956		

HERBERT A. WILLARD  
District Treasurer

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Temple of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1956 and find them correct in all respects.

MALCOLM L. HOLT  
EARL YOUNG

Auditors

August 9, 1956

First Six Months 1956-1957

July 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956

RECEIPTS

Balance on deposit	\$ 3.35
Town of Temple, 1956 Appropriation	14,000.00
Lewis Tainter 24 Desks and 25 Chairs	24.50
State of New Hampshire Milk (June)	12.60
State of New Hampshire State Aid	239.33
State of New Hampshire Milk (Nov.)	24.30
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	\$ 14,304.08

PAYMENTS

School orders paid	\$ 13,520.96
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Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1956	\$ 783.12

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT A. WILLARD,

Treasurer



# STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1956

## Enrollment

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Primary	10	10							20
Intermediate			11	10	8				29
Grammar						9	10	5	24
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## Attending Schools Elsewhere

Appleton Academy	10
Peterborough High School	10

## Attendance

School	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Percent of Attendance	Tardinesses	
				Total	Per Pupil
Primary	19.00	18.12	94.86	1	.05
Intermediate	28.11	26.41	93.93	5	.01
Grammar	22.63	21.82	96.42	1	.04
Visits by Superintendent		63			

## Roll of Perfect Attendance

Four Consecutive Years: Walter Ellis

Three Consecutive Years: Pauline Maynard

One Year: Judith Barber, Janice Quinn, Alice Wheeler, Margaret Willard

## STATISTICS FOR FIRST TWENTY WEEKS 1956-1957

Census: (1 day to 18 yrs. incl.)	Boys 67; Girls 75; Total 142
Attending Temple Schools	71
Attending Public Schools Outside the District	22

### Enrollment

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Primary	8	11							19
Intermediate			8	13	6				27
Grammar						11	7	8	26

### Attendance

School	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Percent of Attendance
Primary	19.21	18.12	94.32
Intermediate	27	25.77	93.18
Grammar	25.78	25.03	97.24

## FANNIE ABBOTT WHEELER MEMORIAL FUND

The recipients of the Fannie Abbott Wheeler Fund for the School Year 1955-56 were as follows:

1st Prize	Shirley Quinn	Grade 4
2nd Prize	William Ryan	Grade 2
3rd prize	Julie Odell	Grade 7

## TEMPLE SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1957-58

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1957 and comparative analysis of expenditures.

	Expended 1955-56	Budgeted 1956-57	Estimated Budget 1957-58
<b>A. ADMINISTRATION:</b>			
1. Salaries of District Officers	\$ 141.00	\$ 141.00	\$ 171.00
2. *Superintendent's Salary (local share)	305.03	361.80	389.40
3. Tax for State Wide Supervision	190.00	186.00	204.00
4. Salaries of Other Admn. Personnel	165.83	222.40	252.60
5. Supplies and Expenses	261.88	309.22	331.78
<b>B. INSTRUCTION:</b>			
6. Teachers' Salaries	9,356.55	10,025.00	10,700.00
7. Textbooks and Other Instructional Aids	434.49	360.00	490.00
8. Scholars' Supplies	602.06	446.50	464.00
10. Other Instructional Expenses	32.32	57.00	59.00
<b>C. OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT:</b>			
11. Salary of Custodian	210.00	243.00	423.00
12. Fuel or Heat	838.03	750.00	900.00
13. Water, Light and Other Expenses	351.91	318.50	365.90
<b>D. MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT:</b>			
14. Repairs and Replacements	744.46	1,258.00	875.00
<b>E. AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES:</b>			
15. Health Supervision	163.60	170.00	200.00
16. Transportation	3,073.50	3,095.00	4,060.00
17. Tuition	5,950.00	6,970.00	8,953.00
18. Special Fund Activities	29.37	40.00	40.00
18a. School Lunch	344.04	100.00	100.00
<b>F. FIXED CHARGES:</b>			
19. Teacher Retirement	642.62	684.79	734.74
20. Insurance, Bonds and Expenses	60.04	285.00	385.00
<b>TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$23,896.73</b>	<b>\$26,023.21</b>	<b>\$30,098.34</b>

**G. CAPITAL OUTLAY:**

21. Land and New Buildings	84.00		300.00
23. New Equipment	79.20	323.00	200.00

**H. DEBT AND INTEREST:**

25. Payments on Principal	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
26. Payments of Interest	550.00	500.00	450.00

**TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR  
ALL PURPOSES**

\$26,609.93

**TOTAL ESTIMATED AMOUNT  
REQUIRED TO MEET  
SCHOOL BOARD'S BUDGET**

\$28,846.21 \$33,048.34

**INCOME OF THE DISTRICT:**

	Actual	Estimated	Estimated
Balance on Hand June 30, 1955	.99		
State Aid	144.67	239.33	240.00
State Aid Bldg. Fund		400.00	400.00
School Lunch	331.50		
Local Taxes	25,961.12		
Advanced on 1956-57 Appropriation	175.00		

**TOTAL INCOME**

\$26,613.28 \$ 639.33 \$ 640.00

**TOTAL ESTIMATED ASSESSMENT  
REQUIRED TO MEET SCHOOL  
BOARD'S BUDGET**

\$28,206.88 \$32,408.34

Balance on Hand June 30, 1956 \$ 3.35

\*Supervisory Union #63 share of Supt. Salary \$5025; State share \$2500.



## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Temple:

I respectfully submit my tenth annual report as your Superintendent of Schools.

### Staff

School opened this fall with the same staff as last year, namely Mrs. Lucy Carter, teaching grades 1 and 2; Mrs. Alice Hammond, teaching grades 3 through 5; Miss Helen Stone teaching grades 6 through 8, and acting as Principal of the building; Miss Ethelyn G. Edwards, Music Supervisor and Instructor; Miss Sybil M. Beatham, R. N., School Nurse; Dr. Claire Cayward, School Doctor and Mrs. Dorothea Leighton, School Lunch Manager.

### Instruction

We have been fortunate in having the same staff for the past several years. Retention of good teachers makes it possible to set up goals and to achieve a perspective of what is desired and what is being done. As a result of this we find that our children are progressing satisfactorily through our own educational program and are able to compete on an academic level in those schools to which they go, that does credit to themselves and to the educational program being offered in our school.

Good schools are usually the result of good parental understanding of what comprises the education their children are receiving. Over the years, the parents in Temple have been interested in their school and have been very cooperative and understanding. This has been accomplished without any group to whom the educators and School Board could go, to interpret their philosophies, goals and procedures. However, with the changes that are occurring in the techniques and materials of instruction, it would appear that Temple could support an effective organized group of parents, in the form of a Parents' Club. This would give parents and teachers an opportunity to raise questions and receive answers, that perhaps otherwise would not be obtained or might be misunderstood, when given to individuals.

Sometimes I have wondered if parents of today's children understand just how the reading skills are begun in the primary grades and follow through the various grade programs. How is penmanship taught in the lower grades and the transitions that are made as the child moves through the grades? How effective is our



testing program? What is it? How much is expected of each child in each grade to effectively grasp the work of the grade? What provisions are made to take care of the child who does not progress as rapidly as the majority of the class?

These and many other questions could be raised and answered, if we had a group to whom we could go to explain these matters.

I Sincerely hope that during the current year and the year that follows, the parents will make an effort to organize such a group. Much mutual good could result from this.

## Building and Grounds

Our school plant is in good condition, and we should be able to keep it this way with moderate expenditures for proper maintenance.

This past year, the exterior of the building was given one coat of paint, the cafeteria floor received a much needed painted surface, grading around the building was completed and the cupola was repaired with the expectation that this will eliminate water from coming into the attic.

The school children purchased, from money received for their janitorial services, several lengths of wooden fence and with the cooperation of several parents, installed this along the front of the school. It is their hope that several more sections can be purchased to complete the project. Several other parents have agreed to assist them in painting this, thereby making the grounds of the school more attractive.

Our children are to be commended for their interest in the appearance of the school building and the adjoining grounds.

New fluorescent lighting was installed in the upper grade room in accordance with the recommendation of the State Department of Health. The same situation exists in the primary room and should be rectified this year. Consequently, the School Board has included in its budget the sum of \$225.00 to complete the lighting program.

Our experience with the new middle grade room indicates that there is not enough radiation in this room to adequately heat it, particularly on windy days or extremely cold days. A study has been made of this situation and it was recommended that finned radiation should be installed along the wall under the slate-board in the front of the room. This installation would cost approximately

\$300.00. Consequently, the School Board has provided for this amount in its budget.

## Special Articles

Article 9—calls to the attention of the voters of the district the necessity of raising and appropriating the sum of \$447.50 for transportation costs contracted for the school year 1956-57. When bids were submitted in the spring of 1956 for the present school year they were in excess of the amount budgeted at the March meeting. Since the School Board is required by law to provide transportation it was necessary for them to provide transportation at the higher cost.

The amount budgeted for 1957-58, is the result of a conference with the present bus contractors. There may be the feeling by some that this amount is excessive. In the event that this is a general feeling, it might be well for the school district to again consider the advisability of establishing under Article 7, a committee to study the possibility of transporting the pupils to the school by several vehicles rather than two, and report back to the voters the results of this study prior to June 30, 1957.

Article 10—is requesting the voters of the district to appropriate a deficiency amount of \$175.00 and make such sum available to the School Board prior to June 30, 1957, so that its current obligations can be liquidated. As the Article indicates, the fuel costs during the year 1955-56, exceeded the amount budgeted. A careful perusal of the expenditures of the School Board will reveal that the cost was \$838.03 as against the budgeted amount of \$650.00, a difference of \$188.03. However, the difference between the \$188.03 and the \$175.00 requested, was absorbed in other items of the budget.

The school year 1955-56, was unusual from a heating point of view in that, the cold spell was long and continuous, with no particularly high temperatures or low temperatures. We may experience a similar situation this year.

## Finance

The School Board's Budget for 1957-58 calls for an appropriation of \$33,048.34, an increase of \$4,202.13 over last year's budget. This increase is reflected in the areas of tuitions, transportation, teachers' salaries, fixed charges, expenses of administration and capital outlay.



Reductions of \$556.00 have been realized in the areas of repairs, equipment and interest payments.

The largest single increase, amounting to \$1,983.00 is in the areas of tuitions. It will be noted that the tuition rate at Peterborough High School has increased from \$330.00 per pupil to \$354.00; and at Appleton Academy from \$305.00 per pupil to \$325.00. These increases reflect the increased costs of operating schools and reflects the general increased costs that everyone is experiencing as a result of the economics of our time. The increased costs in tuitions also reflects the larger number of pupils for whom the district is responsible for educating. Next year we anticipate that twenty-five pupils will be attending various high schools and that this number will increase to approximately thirty-eight in 1962-63.

Transportation reflects the next highest increase, namely \$965.00. Each year the School Board submits bids for transportation. Consequently, they are obligated to pay the price that is demanded to provide the transportation required by law. It is obvious that increased costs relative to operation of motor vehicles and distances traveled, affect this cost.

Our teachers' salaries are among the lowest in this area and the increase in this item of \$675.00 does not seem extravagant. Young graduates are starting at salaries of \$3,200.00 to \$3,300.00 per year. We are indeed fortunate in being able to retain experienced teachers at the salaries we are paying. The experience of our teachers range from 21 years to 34 years in public education. These teachers have kept abreast of the times by taking extension courses and refresher courses at their own expense. Consequently, we owe them a deep debt of gratitude for the fine service they have rendered over the years. The fine accomplishments of our children, when they leave our school, reflects the quality of their work.

The three areas mentioned in the foregoing paragraphs reflect \$3,623.00 of the increase in the budget. The remainder of \$579.13 is reflected in increased costs that are results of our times.

As has been said many times in my reports, every effort has been made to offer an adequate education for the children of Temple, as economically as possible. There are many services we are not buying. The program we are offering is basic, fundamental and economical. It should be noted that our per pupil costs, determined on the same basis as tuition rates are determined, for the school year 1955-56 was \$204.07. This may be compared with the State Average of \$215.00 for the same year.

The School Board's estimated income is based on the premise that Temple will receive approximately the same amount in State Aid as it did last year. They, of course, presume that there will be no change in the State Aid Formula.

Last year, a careful analysis of how the State Aid Formula works was included in my report, along with a brief explanation. To date the principle of the formula remains unchanged.

### **Conclusion**

I wish to again express my appreciation to the Temple School Board and the citizens and parents of Temple for their cooperation, understanding and assistance, in carrying out my educational responsibilities.

NEWELL J. PAIRE

Superintendent of Schools

## SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

The summary below covers the receipts, expenditures, and balances of the School Lunch Program at Temple for the fiscal year 1955-56.

Cash on Hand July 1, 1955	\$ 112.56
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Receipts:

Lunch Sales—Children	\$1,157.15	
Lunch Sales—Adults	73.50	

		\$1,230.65
Receipt of Reimbursements		292.35
District Appropriation		
Miscellaneous Cash Contributions		79.60

Total Receipts		1,602.60
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Available Total		\$1,715.16
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Expenditures:

Food	\$1,166.21	
Labor	457.05	
Equipment	13.97	
All Other	40.43	

Total Expenditures		\$1,677.66
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Actual Cash Balance as of June 30, 1956	\$ 37.50
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Donations: Food \$233.00; Labor \$174.00; All Other \$5.00  
 Total \$412.00. I certify that the above information is true and correct; that the cash balance has been determined by actual count and/or verification of the checkbook balance; and that invoices and other pertinent records as required are on file to substantiate the School Lunch Program transactions.

DOROTHY J. BARBER

School Lunch Accountant

## ANNUAL REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

During the year 1955-56 I made twelve visits to the Temple Public School to carry on the work of the School Health Program and to supervise the health of the pupils. When Dr. Cayward made his annual physical examination of the children in October I assisted him and kept records of the findings, and sent notices to the parents for follow-up on the defects.

At the beginning of the year there were a few cases of chicken-pox but at the end of the year german measles were prevalent. The children on the most part were not too sick and as all had been exposed it was recommended that unless the child became violently ill it would be best if the attendance at school be allowed.

During the month of March after two delays the first shot of Polio Vaccine was given during the Polio Vaccine Clinic sponsored by the State Board of Health and supervised by Mrs. Marie Fahey, State Health Nurse. Twenty-one pre-school children and thirty-six school children received the vaccine. The American Legion Auxiliary gave the lollipops and provided nurses and clerical help for the clinic.

There is no date scheduled for the second shot at the present time.

Vision screening was accomplished with the aid of the Snellon Chart and one child was found to be nearsighted. Group use of the audiometer was done and the findings must be checked on five by means of the single audiometer.

The new Teachers' Room in the basement was put into use as a part time nurses' office and First Aid Room.

### Defects found by Dr. Cayward:

Red eyes	4
Defective teeth	13
Enlarged tonsils	8
Enlarged thyroid	1
Thyroid deficiency	1
Speech defect	1
Skin allergy	1
Overweight	1
Enlarged cervical glands	2

Respectfully submitted,

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School Nurse







